

Resolution No. 70-2009

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR ON BEHALF OF THE CITY TO SIGN AND SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR THE US DOE ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND CONSERVATION BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, The United States Department of Energy provides funding in formula grants under the Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) Program. This funding is available for the first time under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. This Program, authorized in Title V, Subtitle E of the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 (EISA) and signed into Public Law (PL 110-140) on December 19, 2007, provides funds to units of local and state government, Indian tribes, and territories to develop and implement projects to improve energy efficiency and reduce energy use and fossil fuel emissions in their communities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Reading has been allocated \$791,000 to complete approved programs under this funding source. The United States Department of Energy provides funding in formula grants under the Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) Program; and

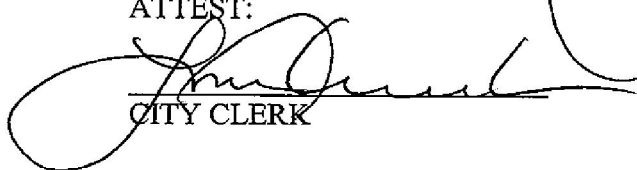
WHEREAS, THE City of Reading is requesting \$791,000.00 of the total allocated funds through The United States Department of Energy Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) Program.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF READING that it agrees to comply with the requirements of the Department of Energy Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) Program for the purpose of developing an Energy Efficiency and Conservation Strategy and completing energy projects within the approved strategy.

PASSED COUNCIL June 8, 2009


PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK

I, LINDA A. KELLEHER, City Clerk of the City of Reading, Pa., do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Resolution passed by the Council of the City of Reading, on the 8 day of June A. D. 2009. Witness my hand and seal of the said City this 9 day of June A. D. 2009.


CITY CLERK